

Andrew Haslam KC

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Clerks

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Appointments

- Crown Court Recorder 2008
- Serious Sex (Class 2)
- Serious Fraud Office (SFO) Counsel Panel Member

Memberships

- North Eastern Circuit
- Criminal Bar Association
- JUSTICE

Education

- LLB (University of Leicester)

Inquests and Inquiries

Andrew is an experienced practitioner in the field of inquests and public inquiries having represented bereaved families, trade unions, government bodies, local authorities and the emergency services in lengthy and complex investigations into unexplained deaths.

He provides guidance, advice and representation throughout the entire process, from the first contact with the coroner and pre-inquest stages such as attending conferences and pre-inquest reviews, through the forensic overview of medical evidence and records and to the final hearing.

Andrew's experience covers a wide range of areas including:

- Company negligence under health and safety legislation
- Fatal accidents at work relating to equipment and the workplace
- Inquests arising out of road traffic fatalities
- Local authority / social services related deaths

His expertise covers inquests with and without jurors, while he is also able to advise on potential civil claims for damages post-inquest.

Recommendations

“He is very much a lead practitioner in the North East.”

“He presented very nicely in court.”

Chambers and Partners 2024

“He has an incredible eye for detail, a forensic understanding of complex evidence and is a formidable advocate.”

The Legal 500 2024

“Andrew’s mastery of the detail means he is ready to deal with any issue that arises with confidence.”

Chambers and Partners 2023

‘Andrew makes it his business to master the detail of every case, and no nuance passes him by. Juries quickly learn to trust him, following every word.’

The Legal 500 2023

“He has an ability to distil a hugely complex case into something that is accessible for a jury.”

Chambers and Partners 2022

“Sought after for his expertise in prosecuting and defending in high-value financial crime and fraud cases, including investment and VAT fraud”

The Legal 500 2022

“He has particular expertise in high value fraud and financial crime.”

The Legal 500 2021